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Applicant(s) : Vernon MCDERMOTT
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For : LIGHTING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR LIGHTING

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sirs:

The Office Action mailed on September 22, 2005 provides that restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. §121:

Species I: FIG. 1

Species II: FIG. 2

Species III: FIG. 3

Species IV: FIG. 4

Species V: FIGS. 5A, 5B and 6

Species VI: FIG. 7

Applicant provisionally elects for prosecution the invention of Species I (FIG. 1) upon which claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 14, 16, 17, 8, 19, 20 and 21 are believed to be readable. Applicant believes that the restriction requirement is improper and therefore makes the above election with traverse.

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